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SUBJECT: GON DEMAND FOR PAO RECALL

NDJAMENA FOR MCGINLEY, USIA

REF: STATE 17655

1. I, TOO, AM PERPLEXED AS TO REASONS WHY GON IS PURSUING SUCH
A DRASTIC COURSE OF ACTION IN PAO'S CASE. I CAN OFFER ONLY
CONJECTURE THAT STUDENT/TEACHER STRIKE, PAMPHLETEERING AND
POLITICIZING HAVE SO SERIOUSLY DISTURBED HIGHEST LEVELS OF
GOVERNMENT THAT IMPULSE IS TO LASH OUT SEVERELY AGAINST ANYONE
CONNECTED WITH INCIDENTS EVEN INDIRECTLY OR UNWITTINGLY.
WHILE ONLY SMALL NUMBER ACTIVISTS INVOLVED, BELIEVE THEIR
MESSAGE ALLEGING GOVERNMENTAL MISMANAGEMENT, FAVORITISM,
INEQUITIES AND PROFITEERING HAVE MADE TELLING IMPACT ON
IMPOVERISHED POPULATION SUFFERING FROM PROLONGED DROUGHT. THUS IT
WIDELY EXPECTED THAT DISSIDENT RINGLEADERS WILL SOON BE SENTEN-
CED TO INORDINATELY STIFF PRISON TERMS. DEPT WILL ALSO RECALL
THAT FRENCH CITIZEN DIRECTOR OF PEDAGOGIC
INSTITUTE FULLENWORTH (NIAMEY 3364) WAS EXPelled ON 48 HOURS
NOTICE BECAUSE STUDENT ANTI-GON TRACTS WERE TRACED TO
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INSTITUTE ALTHOUGH THERE WAS ALSO STRONG SUSPICION THAT
FULLENWORTH KNOWINGLY TURNED HIS EYES THE OTHER WAY.

2. IN ADDITION TO CURRENT HYPERSENSITIVE ATMOSPHERE IN NIGER REGARDING STUDENT/TEACHER DISSIDENCE, THERE IS ALSO THE UNKNOWN EFFECT OF THE INTERPLAY OF PERSONALITIES. TO WHAT EXTENT YOUSSEOUFOU, MINISTRY OFFICIALS OR OTHERS ARE INFLUENCING PRESIDENT DIORI CANNOT BE ACCURATELY ASSESSED.

3. I HAVE REQUESTED APPOINTMENT WITH PRESIDENT DIORI AND HAVE BEEN TOLD THAT HE WILL SEE ME THIS EVENING JANUARY 27.

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